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COURT OF NORTH CAROLINA

... vs. DANIEL REYNOLDS.

... money lost upon a wager on ... a public election, though neither ... to a vote, is based upon an ... being against public ... void.

... Superior Court of Law ... Fall Term, 1850, his ... [illegible] ... for $100. The ... sets out a special plea, ... given for an illegal con... money lost upon a bet ... James K. Polk was elected ... the United States by the ... this agreement the plaintiff ... the defendant the watch, ... delivered to the plaintiff ... $125, with the above con... thereon. After the election ... defendant made a payment of ... and the [illegible] ... to the $125 and ... a verdict for the plaintiff, ... opinion of the Court upon ... reserved. The Court being ... with the plaintiff, he had judg... defendant appealed.

... the plaintiff.

... and T. ... for the de...

... It is clear that this was ... the result of the President... the fact being lost, by ... [illegible] ... [illegible] ... to the fact can be ... We are, therefore, ... neither were voters; ... presume, can a bond, ... rest upon a wager ... Presidential election, ... by persons who are ... cannot be ... the parties is a ... Bacon, 1 T. R. 56; Evans ... 426. We think it ... bond, although neither of ... participate in our opinion ... that the wager is ... void, the Courts ought ... by aiding in the ... given to secure the ...

... United States, are re... governments, and ... by the people, as "the ... Everything, not merely ... the very existence, ... hands on the free ... [illegible] ... would have to ... [illegible] ... [illegible] ... [illegible]

FROM THE RICHMOND WHIG.

MESSRS. CASS AND DOUGLAS.

A lively correspondent gives us a sprightly sketch of the griefs and lamentations of these weeping statesmen.

We have often wondered whether it was possible that they were so absorbed in the one engrossing thought of being President, as to suppose that any human being was imposed upon by their boisterous professions of sympathy for the outcasts of the Old World! The delusion of the ostrich, in supposing that by thrusting his head into the sand, his whole body is concealed, may be theirs. They may really imagine themselves possessed of the tender sensibilities they have not, stimulated thereto by the intense desire to clutch a prize they do not deserve. They may be infatuated with the dupes of their own ambition—and the deliberate hypocrites.

This is the mildest aspect in which their conduct can be viewed. For their warmest friends have never represented either of them as so overflowing with heart—so coveted to the happiness of others, as to be willing entirely oblivious of self. They may love their own household with a consuming love, but their past history rejects the idea that they have any other sort of affection for foreigners than that which the Romans had—to make of them vassals and tributaries. Five years ago, it was with difficulty that they could be restrained from swallowing Cuba, Cuba and Mexico—preparatory to an attack upon the whole of South America. They are probably quite as warlike now as they were then, though it does not exactly suit their present purpose to declare an Irishman or German, or anybody else, as they would a Mexican, original ugly as they would a Mexican or a Spaniard. These last have no votes—the others have!

From the Whig.

MESSRS. CASS AND DOUGLAS.

——Arcades ambo.

Et cetera petes, et roseo cere parati.

Among the sweet-souled men, whose all-loving fathers shed a portion on the 10th century, Senators Cass and Douglas have acquired an enviable pre-eminence. At every passing tale of suffering, at each recurring instance of oppression in Ireland or Poland, whether the Russian Bear lay his heavy paw upon the trembling Cossack, or the Austrian Eagle make a sweep at a Hungarian Count, this Arcadian couple, at once closed their ears, stuff the first with sympathetic sorrow. The whole United States is but one vast sounding board, reverberating to their lond lamentations, while Young Ireland from Cincinnati, and Young Hungary from Chicago, with all the tune and notified music compared with the hoarse din of their complaints. Strangely forgetful of the wonderful powers of eloquence and ability so quickly exhibited by themselves during the Mexican—also other oblivious of the pecuniary uneasiness of the month with which they glanced over the prospect of ultimately swallowing the whole of South America—they now form with virtuous indignation of the display of a like morbid appetite for annexation in their counterparts, the Emperors of Russia and Austria. The little Lady of Douglas is spectacle with grief! the luminous periphery of Cass is rendered dim with sorrow. At the late mention of the expected Ireland or Down-trodden Hungary, the needles of their compass of sympathy within them, until the whole soul inland to their glows with such intensity, that all the humours from the tip of the nose to the confines of the alimentary canal, are immediately in sympathetically inflamed.

Mr Cass seems specially orchestrated by Jeremiah, ayer, that the melancholy views of the Hon Stephen A. Douglas originated in the folly of his god-fathers, and that in virtue of his very initials he must be ever S A D. All agree that his sympathy and concern for Ireland and Hungary are merely *nominal*, and spring from causes personal to himself. A Douglas has a historic right to be dark and saturnine. Even crocodile shed tears, which might be mistaken for sympathy, when he beholds a tempting specimen of luctuous flesh at some inaccessible height above the waters of the Nile, and surely Cass and his compeer may be excused, if the constant sight of the White House stimulates their lachrymal glands into unwonted activity. It is only towards the close of a Presidential Olympiad, and the approach of a new election, that their sympathetic souls shout out in torrents of frothy eloquence, like intermittent springs which occasionally burst forth in paroxysms of fury proportioned to the long intervals during which they had ceased to flow. Let that election pass, and the new dismal Douglas, cheering up, like David after his babe was dead, will twitter away as gaily as a tomtit in a thorn bush, and the sturdy Senator from Michigan, laying aside the assumed garb of Lewis the lachrymose, will again be recognised as Louis Debonair, ready to join, if the occasion demand, in a merry stave to

Old King Cole, that jolly old soul!

AUSTER.

Correspondence of the Charleston Courier.

WASHINGTON Feb. 27.

We have had, for a day or two, an interesting rumor of consultations among Southern members of Congress in relation to the selection of a candidate for the next Presidency. I do not find that any formal meeting has yet taken place, though it is in contemplation. The rumor that Senator Butler had been designated as a candidate by a number of Southern members is probably premature. It is still asserted, however, that a new candidate is to be presented, and one who will be approved by the South, while he cannot be objected to by the North.

The Southern Whigs, so far as we learn, are in favor of Mr. Fillmore as their candidate for the Presidency, and of Mr. Crittenden or Gov. Jones, of Tennessee, for the Vice Presidency.

It is now generally conceded that the public lands are no longer to be a source of revenue to the public Treasury, and that they are to be granted in large quantities to the States wherein they lie for the purposes of internal improvements. The Missouri and Iowa land appropriation bills are still under discussion. Meanwhile, the State of Maine has applied for a grant of two millions of acres of public land in aid of the construction of the European and North-American Railway, a part of which is to run through Maine and connect with the line of railway commenced in the British Provinces. Should this railway be completed, it will, in connection with the proposed line of steamers between Halifax and Galway, shorten the transit of mails between New York and London to seven days and eight hours. Between Halifax and Galway the distance is only 2,430 miles, and a steamer, running at the rate of 15 miles an hour, will accomplish it in 5 days and 22 hours.

The State of Maine urges in behalf of her application that, by assenting to the Ashburton treaty, she gave up a territory equal in extent and fertility to Massachusetts, and that the Government should render her an equivalent for the sacrifice she then made for the general good. Maine urges that, if Texas was entitled to ten millions of dollars as an indemnity for a doubtful claim to a worthless territory, she is entitled to the small grant which she asks in aid of a high national object. I do not think the claim of Maine will be recognized. The old States will hardly be able to get any share in the spoils of the domain. We are yet to see, however, what will be the fate of Mr Underwood's project to divide a portion of the public lands among all the old States. The vote will be a close one in the Senate.

GEORGIA.—A Convention of the Union party is called for the purpose of taking into consideration the propriety of sending Delegates to the Baltimore Locofoco Convention. But the Milledgeville Recorder thinks that the Union party throughout the South will unite on Mr. Fillmore, of whom the Recorder says:

"Mr. Fillmore from present indications, is likely to be the choice of most, if not all of the Whigs of the Southern and Southwestern States. Indeed it is probable that he will be the nominee of the Constitutional Union party throughout the Union. Who more deserving this honor? Does he not richly merit this distinction at the hand of the friends of the Compromise?

Kentucky, Tennessee and Maryland, have already spoken to that effect. Virginia means to show on the 15th April next, that Millard Fillmore is her first and last choice"—so says the Richmond Republican. Can other States who have rallied under the banner of the "Constitutional Union Party" do better? That party is not extinct; and her voice is yet to be heard in this as well as other States as to who is to be her standard-bearer."

Plain Facts for Advertisers.—The Boston Times publishes the following facts, which we would respectfully submit to the consideration of merchants, traders, and others who have neglected to seize the opportunity of extending their business and increasing their profits by adopting a judicious and liberal system of advertising. The annexed statement was furnished to the Times by Mr. S. S. Houghton, an extensive and enterprising dealer in dry goods, &c., at 72 Tremont-st., opposite the Tremont House. It will be seen that it exhibits the amount of business done, according to his cash-book, when he had no advertisement in the Times, as compared with the period when he had:

[Here follows a daily statement from Dec. 17, 1851 to Jan'y 12, 1852, during which their sales were $1712 19, or $75 a day, without advertising. And then from Jan'y 13, 1852, to Feb'y 7, 1852, whilst advertising, the sales being $7000 03 or $304 35 per day.]

The above business was transacted entirely at retail, and no one article sold amounted to more than three dollars. Some person may ask, what was the cost of this advertising which led to such a wonderful increase of business? We answer *less than one hundred dollars!* Is it not extraordinary then that some merchants will sit themselves down behind their counters and suffer their more enterprising rivals to outstrip them for a paltry outlay of a few dollars in advertising?

From the crowd of people at Kean's funeral, there was difficulty in getting out of the church. A comedian who had been intimate with him, whispered as he went out, while a tear glistened in his eyes: "This then is the end of Kean! poor fellow! —*but he drew a crowded house to the last.*"

FROM THE RALEIGH REGISTER.

OUR CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR.

We have full confidence that the Whig State Convention will select from the number of highly intelligent and patriotic Whigs who have been spoken of, a Candidate who will defend with ability the principles of our Party and perform the Executive duties with fidelity and patriotism.

We have refrained heretofore from saying anything on the question, which has been so warmly discussed by some of our cotemporaries, "what position our candidate should assume on the subject of a Convention for the amendment of the Constitution."

In the first place, we lay down this proposition, which we do not think any of our Whig friends will controvert, viz: "that differences of opinion on matters of State policy have heretofore been tolerated in the Whig Party." Why should they not hereafter be tolerated? What reason is there for departing from this long established principle?

In times past it was never customary to demand of our Candidate for Governor, "you must say *yea* or *nay* on the Penitentiary question—the Internal Improvement question—the school question—the tax bill question"—or any other measure of State policy. The reason is apparent.—No Party can exist for a twelve month, which acts on such a principle. If such an intolerant doctrine were adopted, in reference to matters of mere State policy, a Party, founded as the Whig Party is, on great and fundamental principles, connected with the National Government, and its policy, would soon degenerate into a *State* party, and as soon thereafter become a mere *sectional party in the State*. These are conclusions to which, we submit, any man *must* come, if he will but reflect. How have the two great parties of the Union been, to some extent, *sectionalized?* Why, most assuredly, by making *sectional* questions a test in *national* elections.

Now we take it, that one of our political friends of the East, who may be opposed to a Convention, *into cubo*, can be, according to the ancient and well established tests of our Party, as good a Whig and as reliable a Whig in every respect, as one from the West, whose zeal for a Convention is an assurance of the sincerity of his convictions and the honesty of his purpose, and *vice versa*. But what inevitably follows if the Convention should adopt the test contended for by some of our Western friends?

In the first place no one could be nominated who is not for a Convention, for it would be folly to lay down a test, and then nominate a Candidate, who will not, because he cannot conscientiously submit to it and carry it out. So that, such a test would exclude from the Convention the names of most, if not all, the Eastern Whigs who may have aspirations for the nomination; for it is understood that the East is, almost unanimously, opposed to a Convention at the present. But the consequences will not end here. If such a test is adopted by the Convention and thereby forced into the canvass, how can it be expected that Eastern Whigs, who are conscientiously adverse to a Convention, should sustain the candidate? Having been made a test, they would at once declare, that they were called on to vote against their own interests, and convictions of right, because the success of the Candidate, under such circumstances, would be claimed, necessarily, as the success of the Convention policy.

It would consequently, make certain the defeat of our Candidate. If votes should be lost in the East by the adoption of such a policy, will they be made up in the West? By what process? If it is expected that they will come from the ranks of our opponents, who favor an open Convention, what a slim reliance this will be! Is it possible that their character is so little known? There has been ample opportunity to learn it. Will they forsake their candidate in a heated political contest, because his views on matters of *State policy* do not suit them? How many did it in 1848 and 1850? Not ten out of each thousand, of those who were opposed to "Free Suffrage." It strikes us that it would be sheer folly to rely upon any aid from our opponents. Without it we should be beaten, badly beaten!

But even should the test be adopted by the Convention and our Candidate be elected (and he could be elected only by getting votes opposed to a Convention) how would this result aid the friends of a Convention? The Constitution requires a vote of "two thirds of all the members of each house of the General Assembly" to call a Convention. Would the election of a "Convention" Governor secure this vote? The Governor has no vote, nor has he any power under the Constitution to "advise" the Legislature, nor even to recommend measures for its adoption. At last then it would devolve on the Legislature to decide this question. *Why not leave it there?* Why not leave the Candidates for the Legislature, who are constitutionally authorized to decide upon it, to fight it out before the People of their respective Counties?

In all contests for political reform, there are, generally, those who desire much change, and those who desire none. If neither yield, the conflict becomes heated, marked by vindictiveness, and continues longer than is compatible with the peace and prosperity of the body politic. There is a remedy for such a condition of things. Our National Constitution was the result of Compromise. In all great political struggles concession, on both sides, becomes necessary to restore harmony. Why can it not be hoped then, that through the legitimate body which the Constitution itself has selected to pass upon these matters, such a Compromise may be effected as will allay this strife and bring about good feeling and unison between the East and West? It can never be done by throwing the question into the Gubernatorial election.

Our humble opinion is, therefore, after mature deliberation, that the Convention should select a candidate, *without reference to his views on questions of State reform.* Because Mr. A. of the *West* entertains the opinion that a Convention should be called, is no valid reason why the *East* should refuse to support him, unless he attempts to make it an issue in the campaign. If Mr. B. of the East is opposed to a Convention, this should form no just cause of objection to him on the part of the West, unless he makes it a test in the campaign.—There are those, who are for an *unrestricted* Convention—and others, who are opposed to *any* Convention. How are these conflicting opinions to be reconciled on any other principle than the one we have mentioned?

But it may be said that our candidate will be *forced* to make this issue. Forced by whom? Where does the Governor derive the right to interfere with the question? What right has he to dictate to or even advise the Representatives of the People? From the Constitution? There is not a line or syllable in that instrument which confers upon him such a power, and God forbid that there ever should be. Any such attempt on the part of an Executive would deserve the prompt rebuke of the Legislature. Even after his installation into office, constitutionally he has no more right to obtrude his views, on such a question, before the Legislature, than a private individual. This is the ground the Whig Party took in the Presidential election of 1848, and it is the true Republican ground. The Representative should be left uninfluenced, untrammelled, unbiased by any and all officials, whether they be of high or low grade! Could not our Candidate say so? Would he not be sustained in it by the People? Would they not see, at a glance, that it is a doctrine consonant with the freedom of their Representatives? It makes no difference how this has been in times past. If we have been wrong, we should right ourselves. The sooner the better. We ask for the grant of such power. Whence is it derived? There is a vast difference between dictating to, or advising the Legislature, on a question of State policy, especially of Constitutional reform, and giving it information in reference to its financial and civil affairs. We ask again for the Article in the Constitution, by virtue of which the Executive presumes to advise or dictate to the Legislature? If it cannot be found, then wherefore make this question a test? Did we not censure Reid for lugging into the campaign his favorite hobby?

We have said heretofore that we could see no objections to the Legislature's leaving the question of 'Convention' or 'no Convention' to the People. It could then be discussed free from political influences or prejudices. It is the only fair test of the voice of the People on this subject. But this is a matter for the Legislature, and whilst we still think, that no harm but rather good would result from such a discussion of and vote upon this single question, yet we are not so wedded to any peculiar views, that we cannot yield them for a compromise of differences to secure unison and harmony to the Whig Party of North Carolina. An important Presidential Election is to take place—the defeat or election of our Candidate for Governor will have an effect, in all probability, on that election, by which the Electoral vote of the State will be secured to our Candidate for the Presidency, or transferred to that of our opponents. The Senatorial Districts are to be remodeled, so to remain for twenty years—the Electoral Districts are to be laid off—are these not questions enough, and of importance sufficient, to call forth all our energies, and elicit our full zeal?

We have been told with presumptuous arrogance, "The Whigs are down in the State, and they must be kept down!" Is it our purpose to make this true by our own dissensions, and by expending our energies, and strength, on questions of State policy, which can be as easily settled two years hence? *Now* or *never* is the time to give aid to those great principles which so vitally affect the prosperity and happiness of the whole Union! *This* duty cannot be postponed. We entreat our friends then to view this subject—this whole subject—calmly and with the spirit of patriots, and whilst we agree to differ, if needs be, on local questions, let us be united as a band of brothers, as in days gone by, in behalf of our principles, in behalf of our UNION; and then we shall be able to prove to our opponents, who have sent forth their arrogant edicts, that we are not only, not "DOWN," but that we are UP, AND MARCHING ONCE MORE TO VICTORY!

An Anecdote.—The inhabitants of a small town of Ohio, were recently put in a great state of excitement, by the announcement that Kossuth would pass through their village at a certain hour. Accordingly every person that could walk, man, woman, and child, was at the depot at the expected moment, prepared to give a warm welcome to the nation's guest. It so happened that Kossuth did not arrive in that train of cars, but a returned Californian was there, who prided himself on a heavy growth of black whiskers, and sported a Kossuth hat and plumes. Upon seeing the parade, he stepped forth upon the platform, to the great amusement of his fellow passengers, and was received with three times three hearty cheers! He raised his hat and plume, and bowing gracefully to the assembled company, remarked that, owing to his past labors, he was in delicate health, and should not be able to address them at any length, but thanked them most sincerely for their sympathy with "down trodden" Hungary, and amid deafening hurrahs returned to his seat in the cars. The conductor gave the signal, the train moved and was soon out of hearing. The inhabitants of that village will undoubtedly go to their graves in the firm conviction of having seen and listened to Hungary's great patriot.

Boston Journal.

Counterfeit $50's—The bills passed on Mr. Costen of Henderson Co., a few days since are on the bank of the State of South Carolina, payable at Columbia, J. Jones and Norton dated at Charleston June 8, and Oct. 8, 1850 and signed J. Fisher, Cashier, and R. H. Gorlage or Gortage. Letter A. No. 68 and 89, an Indian and Eagle on the left and a female figure and quadrant etc. on the right. The general execution of the engraving is pale and looks like a North Carolina bill.

Asheville Messenger.

The Harpers announce they have purchased the proof-sheets of Dickens' new novel, to be received in advance of its appearance in London, for the sum of *two thousand dollars.*

From the Catholic Almanac for 1852, we learn that there are in the whole U. States, 6 arch-bishops, 26 bishops, 1385 priests, 1411 churches, and a Catholic population of 1,980,000 which includes 115,000 in Oregon, the Californias, New Mexico, and the Indian Territory. In England and Scotland there are 694 churches and chapels, and 972 priests, and in Ireland 2205 churches and 2252 priests.

COOL IMPUDENCE.—When Kossuth was leaving Cincinnati, the Committee of Arrangements waited upon him to the boat, thanked him for his kindness in visiting the city, and extended to him the good wishes of their fellow-citizens. To their remarks Kossuth replied in the presence of a large crowd, "Sir, I want some freedom, some rest; do not speak to me; please leave." Here an explanation was offered, when the Magyar continued: "Now, do not bother me; leave me; do, do; go away:" and the officer retired, while Kossuth turned to his lady and commenced smelling a bouquet of flowers.

The Committee left!

At a previous interview with the same committee, on the occasion of handing over to Kossuth the "material aid," his first words were,

"You see, gentlemen, your grand demonstration for the Hungarian cause was a failure!—a failure!—a failure!" [*A short pause and long faces followed this remark, which was uttered with peculiar emphasis.*]

A spokesman of the committee here attempted to offer an explanation in apology —alluding to the shortness of the notice given to the public, and the disappointment felt at postponing the day of meeting as originally notified—his own indisposition suggesting the alteration, &c.

Kossuth.—O, too much committee—too inefficient. [*A chilling sensation was here observable.*]

Spokesman.—We really ourselves feel greatly mortified at the thinness of the assemblage, but—

Kossuth.—Think of it, gentlemen! I had your assurance I should receive ten thousand dollars to-day; and now I find not twelve hundred people at your great meeting.

The committee then severally assured Kossuth their exertions had not been spared in endeavoring to collect a crowd.

Kossuth.—I humbly thank you, gentlemen; but if I had been suffered to carry out my own arrangements I could have obtained as much material aid in forty-eight hours as through your kindness I have received in fifteen days!

During the whole interview, the manner of Kossuth to the Committee was insulting and overbearing, and he concluded the audience by giving a "broad hint" to the Committee that they had taken out five thousand dollars worth of Hungarian bonds, which had been unaccounted for. The Committee handed over the sum collected at the meeting, and shortly after retired, with "their honors thick upon them."

POPPING THE QUESTION

A LEAP YEAR STORY!

"But why don't you get married?" said a bouncing girl, with a laughing eye, to a smooth faced, innocent looking youth, who blushed up to the eyes at the question.

"Well, I—" said the youth, stopping short with a gasp, and fixing his eyes upon vacancy with a puzzled and fool-like expression.

"Well, go on; you what?" said the fair cross-questioner, almost imperceptibly inclining nearer to the young man. "Now just tell me right straight out, you what?"

"Why, I—O, pshaw, I don't know!"

"You do, I say you do now, come, I want to know."

"Oh, I can't tell you—"

"I say you can. Why, you know I'll never mention it, and you may tell me, of course, you know, for haven't I always been your friend?"

"Well, you have, I know," replied the beleaguered youth.

"And I'm sure I always thought you liked me," went on the maiden, in tender and mellow accents.

"O, I do, upon my word—yes, indeed, I do, Maria," said the unsophisticated youth, very warmly, and he found that Maria had unconsciously placed her hand in his open palm.

Then there was a silence.

"And then—well?" said Maria, dropping her eyes to the ground.

"Eh! O—well?" said John, dropping his eyes and Maria's hand at the same moment.

"I'm pretty sure you love somebody, John; in fact," said Maria, assuming again a tone of raillery, "I *know* you're in love, and John, why don't you tell me all about it at once?"

"Well, I—"

"*Well I!* O you silly mortal, what *is* there to be afraid of?"

"O, it ain't because I'm afraid of anything at all; and I'll—well now, Maria, I *will* tell you."

"Well now, John?"

"I—"

"Eh?"

"I—"

"Yes."

"I *am* in love—now *don't* tell; you won't, will you?" said John, violently seizing Maria by the hand, and looking in her face with a most imploring expression.

"Why, of course you know, John, I'll never breathe a word of it—you know I won't, don't you John?" This was spoken in a mellow whisper, and the cherry lips of Maria were so near John's ear when she spoke, that had he turned his head to look at her, there might have occurred an exceedingly dangerous collision.

"Well, Maria," said John, "I've told you now, and so you shall know all about it. I have always thought a great deal of you, and—"

"Yes, John."

"I am sure you would do anything for me that you could—"

"Yes, John, *you know* I would.

"Well, I *thought* so, and you don't know how long I've wanted to talk to you about it."

"I declare, John, I—you might have told me long ago if you wanted, for I'm sure I never was angry with you in my life."

"No you wasn't; and I have often felt a great mind to, but—"

"It's not too late, now, you know, John."

"Well, Maria, *do* you think I'm too young to get married?"

"Indeed I do *not*, John, and I *know* it would be a good thing for you, too, for everybody says the sooner young people are married the better, when they are prudent, and inclined to love one another."

"That's just what I think; and now, Maria, I *do* want to get married, and if you'll—"

"Indeed I will, John, for you know I was always partial to you, and I've said so often behind your back."

"Well, I declare, I've all along thought you might object, and that's the reason I've been always afraid to ask you."

"Object! no; I'd die first; you may ask of me just anything you please."

"And you'll grant it?"

"I will."

"Then, Maria, I want you to pop the question for me to Mary Sullivan, for—"

"*What!*"

"Eh?"

"Do you love Mary Sullivan?"

"O, indeed I do, with all my heart."

"I always thought you were a fool."

"Eh?"

"I say you are a fool, and you'd better go home, your mother wants you! O, you —you—you—*rapid!*" exclaimed the mortified Maria, in a shrill treble, and she gave poor John a slap on the cheek that sent him reeling. It was monday, and yet John declares that he saw myriads of stars flashing around him, more than he ever saw in the night time. Poor Maria

"Never told her love.
But let concealment, like a worm i' the bud,
Prey on her damask cheek."

Thus, alas, how often are the germs of young affection cast away! For it is but too true, as David Crockett beautifully expresses it,

"The course of true love never did run smooth!"

TASTINGS OF PUNCH.

A Hair Drawn Constitution.—The French constitution reminds us of a certain French monk, who was wont, among other relics, to show a single hair of the Virgin Mary. "Behold," said the monk to the folks about him, at the same time drawing apart his hands—"behold, and worship." "Worship!" cried a peasant, "why I can't see the hair." "Can't see it!" exclaimed the monk, "why, you presumptuous rascal, what would you have? For twenty years I have shown the hair, and never yet seen it myself." Louis Napoleon shows his hair-drawn constitution after the like fashion; can he see it himself?

A Question for the Statesman.—What requires more philosophy than taking things as they come? Parting with things as they go.

The Suspension of Liberty.—In honor of the vote for Louis Napoleon, "the lower of Notre Dame was decorated with hangings." Considering the origin of the present government, which is based on so many shootings, the decoration by means of hangings is not inappropriate.

Ninety persons were killed and forty-seven wounded by railway accidents in the State of New York during the past year Not one was killed in his seat.

Travelling the Hudson.—The various railroad companies at Albany are moving in the matter of constructing a tunnel under the Hudson river. It is said that the expense will be about half a million of dollars.

King Cure All.—A fool subscriber says, "pl ase, as you can tell the cure for all complaints, for recipes is this, my brother has got the pathsic and I want you to send in the my next paper, the cure for it." Well, we will and if he is as big a fool as you are, would advise you by all means to KILL HIM. Death is the only prescription we have to cure all complaints, and dispatch all accounts and silence all fools.

Asheville Messenger.

Mr. Bancroft is about publishing his History of the American Revolution, in three volumes. This is altogether a distinct work from the History of the United States. It is to be published simultaneously by Bently in London, and by Little and Brown, in Boston.

It gives us pleasure to be able to state, that the laying down of T iron on the Wilmington & Raleigh Railroad was completed yesterday. The road is now laid with T iron from this town to Weldon, and if we take the expression of the traveling public for evidence, the Wilmington & Raleigh Road is now the best in the United States.—*Wilmington Journal.*

Canine Sagacity.—Various are the stories told of the wonderful sagacity of the canine race, their fidelity and extreme sympathy, showing a nicety of instinct amounting almost to reason. We were recently told of an instance in which the intelligence of the animal was exhibited in a remarkable manner. A large mastiff that had been in the family of a country gentleman in Ontario county for several years, had become so old, obese and lazy that the master of the house became tired of keeping him. One evening, while the old dog lay by the kitchen fire, enjoying his ease with dignity, the master said to his men in an impatient tone, that he was tired of keeping the old dog, calling him by name—he was old, stupid, and lazy, and did nothing but eat and lie by the fire. He directed them in the morning to take him out and shoot him. Hearing this, the dog rose from his snug place by the fire and, with a sorry, sneaking look, went out of the house. No attention was paid to him; but on looking for him in the morning, he was nowhere to be found. He never returned to his old master, and after a few months he was seen in the town of Livonia, distant many miles from the farm where he was reared.—Query: Did the dog understand the command given for his execution?

Rochester Democrat.

The Telegraph has announced that the Board of Aldermen of Louisville had rejected repeatedly a proposition to take part, officially, in the reception of M. Kossuth in that city. The Louisville Courier says a proposition has been started to give the Aldermen a banquet, as a compliment for their firmness in this Kossuth excitement, which is heartily seconded by the citizens of Louisville.

Judicious Reserve.—Since the news of Louis Napoleon's *coup d' etat*, the German Hussars of the city of New York have resolved to *retain* the sum of $2,300 which had been collected among them for the purpose of being contributed to the Kossuth fund. We have also heard it said that the money raised at the Rev. Mr. Beecher's church in Brooklyn for the same purpose is still *held in reserve* by a trustworthy committee. These things evince a becoming degree of prudence. The money will doubtless be ready when "the war is actually begun."—*Com. Adv.*

FROM EUROPE.

The Franklin arrived at Havre on the 18th inst. from London and Liverpool.

The political news is unimportant. All remained quiet in France and throughout the Continent.

In the British House of Commons, the 16th, Lord John Russell moved a measure embracing a large increase in the national defences. He proposed that the regular army should be increased to 30,000 men, which are four thousand more than the present number, and one thousand more than proposed by the Government. It is to be raised by voluntary enlistments in the counties, and not by ballot except to supply deficiencies. The men are to be enlisted for 5 years, and after 2 years' service. This measure is not popular in Ireland.

Lord Palmerston replied to Mr. Hume, and vindicated the course he had pursued generally, but admitted that he had been wrong in one instance. He had also received information that a Russian force of 15,000 men had crossed the Danube, and were marching upon Kalafat, which is in the Turkish territory, and opposite to Widdin. The Russians had given notice that they would not withdraw their troops from the Principalities until the Turkish government had complied with the demands made upon it.

Affairs in Spain remained unchanged. The Republican spirit was increasing in the country, and the Carlist party was losing ground.

The accounts from Austria continued to show discontent among the people. The Austrian troops had been withdrawn from Milan.

The Pope had issued a decree granting an amnesty to political offenders, with the exception of those who had been concerned in the assassination of Count Rossi.

Little & Brown, Boston, have in press Sister's Diplomatic Experience, containing the correspondence of Mr. Webster with the Austrian Legation.

We learn that a new Hotel has been erected in Wilmington to rival the Purcell House, and that it will be opened with small parties on the 1st of April, when passengers and others will find that it has been well worth waiting for.

The Presidency of Mexico is to be contested by Gen. Arista and Gen. Almonte.

NEW BOOKS

"LESLIE" and "Lily Lee," a pair of New Tunes for the Piano Forte, by Leopold de Meyer. Price 25 cents each.

Lyol makes for the Piano Forte, and Legends and Lyrics of the Lyol, by Adam Lee Walker, price $1 each. Sir Lancelot, a Romance of the Days of Chivalry, by Lady Dacre, 2 vols. Callicott's Lectures on Medicine. Lewis' Anatomy. Dictionary of Medicine, containing French, Latin and English terms. Pereira's Materia Medica. Pereira's Prescriptions. Dr. Dick's Letters to a Young Christian. Dr. Dick's Improvement of Society. Dr. Dick's Mental Illumination. Dr. Dick's Moral Philosophy. Dr. Dick's Practical Christianity. Dr. Dick's Philosophy of Religion. Dr. Dick's Christian Philosopher. Dr. Dick's Celestial Scenery. Dr. Dick's Improvement of Time

...Western Plank Road...
...ville and Western Plank
...now collecting tolls on 91
...New Market in Ran-
...The construction of this
...proceeding westward.—
...actively engaged in re-
...Mills lately used by
...Worth on their contract, to
...for their location be-
...and Salem. One Mill
...we learn, at the point
...Railroad and the Plank
...which is about 24 miles
...Guilford county. All
...going to the subscrip-
...has been fully made, and
...for vigorously to prose-
...completion.
North Carolinian.

Going to his Native.—
...Republican relates
...after the defeat of
...Whig candidates for the
...and a staunch old
...never flinched in adhe-
...entrusted his office. So
...to me, he peculiarly
...cordially will be glad I
...will vote for the best
...Whig that can be run,
...said the old Democrat,
...his full height, and
...for Millard Fillmore
...Democrat they can
...a Democratic nomination more

FOR THE OBSERVER.

...but erratic genius"—
...finds himself, after
...in the vain at-
...his principles upon the
...party, on the *verge* of that
...traveller returns."
Cleveland, March 6

...Editor of the North
...self of an extract from
...Patriot in his last No., and
...it to his own con-
...it to the taste of his
...we will not envy him
...will pray that his readers
...be outraged by such
...one whom he himself
...being such.

...with the above extract, we
...Editorial in the same issue
...the *Union* express it, are
...the compromise measures
...the Union is as much a Do-
...Whig doctrine." We will
...ties,—That no man and
...the compromise measures
...ory of the country," than
...Are they "false doctrines"

A.

STEAM SAW MILLS.

...of Steam Saw Mills is be-
...matter of interest in this section
...Carolina, we insert the following,
...have been furnished with, in re-
...Mill built by N. B. Starbuck,
...N. Y., whose Mills on our Fay-
...Western Plank Road have
...this week, sawing plank
...
...a Mill of a small size,
...certain one half, of course
...can be furnished.
...
...has been put in
...answering the purpose
...
THE STEAM SAW MILL.

...witnessed the operation of a
...Saw Mill, recently manufactur-
...Starbuck, of this city, for the
...Plank Road Company, and
...how complete and ef-
...being the first and only one
...Carolina. The plan as well
...is good and executed
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...can put up, or rather put to-
...in a few hours time on Green Island,
...twenty-five by fifty
...transported and
...operation. It requires
...ordinary structure for pur-
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...comfortable boiler of thirty
...is also attached to each
...Engine and propelling
...each gate. In this
...from any other Steam
...Mills being constructed
...and having
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...advantage.
...who were interest-
...this Mill was being con-
...investigated the plan, at
...satisfaction, that it would
...the efforts of ingenious
...a splendid failure."
...knowledge that it works
...and beautifully.
...as among the most use-
...which the Star-
...awarded as they are
...years, for their splendid
...mechanical ingenuity.
...Mill was $4,500. It was
...by L. Troost, Esq.,
...Alabama and Tennessee
...shipped to Alabama in a

The Members of the Pro-
...Sewing Society are requested
...E. W. King's residence, on
...at 3 o'clock P. M.
...is desired, to settle some

LAWRENCE & TROY
Offer for Sale:
...BBLS. N. C. BACON.
...Firkins Goshen Butter.
...Cheese.
...Bbls. Northern and Country
...Whiskey.
...Bbls. Fish, different kinds.
...Also
...Sugar, Rice, Molasses,
...Cabbage, just received.
March 4, 1852. 70-4t

OBSERVER.

FAYETTEVILLE:

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 1852.

No Northern mail this morning, being the third time, since the humbug of two mails a day was started, that we have not been favored with one a day.

WHIG STATE CONVENTION.—The article which we copy from the Register appears to us to take the true ground, and to maintain it ably. It is worthy of attentive consideration.

The Whigs of Rockingham county held a meeting on the 26th ult. They appointed delegates to the State Convention, and nominated Fillmore and Graham.

The Charlotte Whig nominates James W. Osborne, Esq., of that town, as the Whig candidate for Governor.

THE SPOILS.—A telegraphic despatch from Washington to the Richmond Whig says that the trouble among the democratic leaders is increasing, and that the census printing is the great obstacle to the restoration of harmony—that is, the momentous question of *democratic principle*, whether a profitable job of printing shall be given to the Editors of the Union or to some other equally disinterested patriot! The Union has a daily homily on mutual concessions for the sake of harmony, but it takes good care not to concede this printing job. Other matters of principle may be surrendered; but this greatest of all—never!

A GRATIFYING CONFESSION.—To those who, like ourselves, firmly believe that the peace and prosperity of the country depend on keeping the Locofoco party out of power, the following confession of Mr. Buchanan, endorsed by the Washington Union, is in the highest degree cheering:—

FROM THE WASHINGTON UNION.

THE PRESENT POSTURE OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

"The democratic party never was in greater peril than at present."

Mr. Buchanan's Baltimore letter.

This declaration was made by Mr. Buchanan after having visited Washington city, and therefore with a full knowledge of the elements of discord and dissension which have paralyzed the democratic party at the Capitol. It is deeply to be lamented that, with overwhelming majorities in both houses, and within three months of the opening of the presidential canvass, one of the most distinguished members of our party, and one of the most prominent candidates for the presidential nomination, should be forced by the necessities of the case to make such an avowal. But it is still more to be lamented that the truth of the declaration cannot be gainsaid, and hence we have no fault to find with its avowal. It were better to look dangers full in the face, and to view them in all their length and breadth at the very threshold, rather than to close our eyes upon them until they become irremediable. After having carefully and painfully surveyed the whole ground, we are constrained to declare to the democracy throughout the Union that, in our opinion, "*the democratic party never was in greater peril than at present*," and we are gratified that the warning which the declaration implies comes from one whose voice is so deservedly potent in our ranks.

Mr. Calhoun said that the party was only held together by the "cohesive power of public plunder." Is it now paralyzed by discord and dissension, because it has not lately had that cohesive power? Such is the legitimate inference. We trust it will be long before any reunion takes place; before a new swarm of plunderers, like those who flourished with Van Buren, are permitted again to thrust their arms into the public crib; or a new spirit of conquest, like that which prevailed under Polk, shall lead to new wars of aggression and conquest.

Why should any man who really desires the welfare of the country, wish a change from the wise and prudent and upright chief magistrate we now have, who has brought us safely and peacefully through the great trials of the past three years,—to one who would have given way to the clamors of his party in favor of the Cuban invasion and the Mexican invasion, in favor of the Kossuth European intervention, and who could not have done better, if as well, in quieting our own domestic feuds? We have no sort of doubt, that if a Locofoco President had been in office instead of a Whig, the country would now have been at war with Spain, if not with Mexico; and, if that had not been enough, with a promising prospect of a difficulty with Austria also. From all these evils,—from loss of life and treasure, corruption of the public morals, creation of public debt, and the thousand ills that follow in the train of war,—we have been saved by having a wise and patriotic Whig administration. Let us perpetuate peace and prosperity by continuing that administration. It is in the power of the Whigs to do it. The confession of Mr. Buchanan and the Union makes that apparent. And every Whig should exert himself to the utmost to accomplish so great a good.

WELDON & GASTON RAILROAD.—The contract for the whole of this road has been let out to Messrs. Green, Myers & Co. of Norfolk.

STEAMER SUNK.—The Steamer Wm. B. Meares, formerly belonging to the Merchant's Company of this town, and more recently to Messrs. Dibble & Co., struck a rock on the 27th ult., near Wiggin's Landing, on the Pee Dee river, and immediately sunk.

OFFICE-SEEKING.—There are 1500 applicants for the *ten* appointments of Cadets at West Point, in the gift of the President.

CONGRESS.

In the SENATE, on Wednesday the 3d, debate occurred on the bill making land warrants assignable, which resulted in disagreeing to the amendments made by the House.

Mr. Dodge of Iowa, spoke in favor of the Iowa land bill.

On Thursday, nothing of importance.

In the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, on Wednesday, the bill to grant lands to a rail road in Missouri was taken up. A motion was *rejected*, to refer it to a committee with instructions to report a bill granting lands to all the States for railroads, and then the bill was referred to the committee of the whole, where it will be debated.

The bill to give every head of a family 160 acres of land, provided he will settle and occupy it, was then taken up and debated.

On Thursday, Mr. Stanly, by leave introduced a bill to refund to the State of North Carolina the amount of money advanced for the transportation and provisioning of the volunteers from that State in the Mexican war; read twice, and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.

Also, a bill making an appropriation for certain rivers and harbors: read twice, and referred to the Committee on Commerce.

THE NEW MAIL ARRANGEMENT.—The only advantage, so far, that we are aware of, to the public in this part of the country, from the two mails a day instead of one on the great rail road route, is that we find the Wilmington Daily Journal on our table on the next morning after it is published, instead of the next morning but one. Now that is no trifle, we admit, for we have a pretty considerable regard for all of the Journal save its politics; but we don't think it *quite* equal to the two or three hundred thousand dollars which the change costs annually. We would greatly prefer to see a few mail routes established, or facilities increased, in the interior of the State, where it is difficult to get *one* mail a week, rather than waste money upon two mails a day.

P. S. We learn with astonishment, from the Petersburg Intelligencer and Wilmington Journal, that, though two trains pass every day, each carrying a mail, only one of these mails is opened at any point between Petersburg and Charleston! What is the use of the second mail, especially as, there being but one boat a day to Charleston, both mails arrive there together? It is manifest, therefore, that the money expended in a second mail south of Petersburg, might as well be thrown into the sea. But more than that, it is an insult to the State of North Carolina, which ought to be promptly resented by the Rail Road company refusing to carry any such second mail.

PRESIDENTIAL.—It is said at Washington that Senator Douglas has withdrawn from the canvass and consented to give his influence to secure the nomination of Mr. Buchanan. The alleged motive for his declension, is, that he fears Cass will beat him in the Convention, and if the latter should be elected, Mr. Douglas must give way again in 1856, as the country would not stand two Presidents from the North west in succession. *We* trust that all them will receive permission to stay at home.

Upon this subject the Richmond Whig well says:

"Whatever the motive, the declension cannot but be recommended. It always seemed to us that the idea of Mr. Douglas being a candidate for the Presidency was quite as funny as it was impudent. It is not pretended, that he ever rendered any public service that entitled him to the distinguished station. His only pretension is his obscurity. Mr. Polk was too modest a man to prefer such a claim in his own behalf. It was done for him by the Baltimore Convention—which nominated him, without being urged to it by him. Mr. Douglas, however, would push himself on the party, without any other merit than that of insignificance."

A VERY POOR ANSWER.—The North Carolinian in answer to our query, calls our attention to the fact that the Democrats of Cumberland and Sampson avowed their belief in the "principles of the Democratic party." That by no means constitutes a "declaration of principles." For, if so, it is a declaration which is contained in the *name* of the party and will apply to the Whig, equally with the Democratic, party. When a man calls himself a Whig or a Democrat, it is generally understood that he is attached to the principles of the Whig or Democratic party. So when the Whigs of Cumberland met, where was the necessity of saying, we are attached to the "principles of the Whig party"? Every one should understand that, from the fact of its being a *Whig* meeting.

A Southern Rights Convention met at Montgomery, Ala., on Thursday last, and adjourned on Friday evening. A series of resolutions containing the usual generalities was adopted, but one caused an animated and protracted discussion. It was, in substance, that in consideration of the fact that the people of Alabama and the other Southern States had declared against resistance to the Compromise Acts, consequently the Southern Rights party would not press the issue, but guard against the future.

This was earnestly opposed as being tantamount to a dissolution of the Southern Rights party, and an adoption of the Georgia platform. It was supported by Messrs. Buford, Yancey, Elmore, and others. Finally, a substitute was adopted, modifying the language in some respects, though it was considered to amount practically to the same thing.

A resolution against the doctrine of Intervention was also adopted.

RESIGNATION OF THE BRITISH MINISTRY.

We have a telegraphic report of the arrival at Halifax of the Cunard steamer *America*, with Liverpool and London dates to the 21st ultimo.

She brings the intelligence, unexpected at this time, of the resignation of the British Ministry. The bill lately brought forward by Lord John Russell for organizing a militia force being under consideration, an amendment was proposed by Lord Palmerston upon which the Ministers joined issue. The vote proved the latter to be in a minority of eleven votes—125 against 136, the Irish members voting with the majority. Such an event was unlooked for, as on the preceding night, the Ministry had been sustained, upon another question, by receiving 137 votes out of 232.

Lord Palmerston's amendment was the striking out of the bill the word "local," so as not to confine the militia-men to their respective counties, but permit them to be sent to any quarter of the Kingdom where their services were required. In moving it he urged that the country was in a situation liable to war, and, its peace armament not being sufficient to meet the emergency of war, he desired to have a ready trained force prepared for instant action.

It is said that the announcement of his resignation by Lord John Russell was received with the greatest astonishment, as no one was prepared for such a result.

Many rumors prevailed at Liverpool, as to a successor of the late Premier, but nothing definite was known. It is said that the Queen will not appoint Lord Palmerston, and that the Earl of Derby is willing to accept the office.

In France Louis Napoleon has issued a decree regulating the Press which does not give satisfaction.

The Queen of Spain has entirely recovered from the wounds lately inflicted by the regicide Merino, and her restoration to health has been publicly celebrated at Madrid.—*National Intelligencer.*

Cotton had advanced an eighth of a penny. The sales of the week comprised 74,000 bales, of which speculators took 23,000 and exporters 5000 bales. The quotations were Fair Orleans 5¾d., Middling Orleans 5d., Fair Upland 5¼d., and Middling Upland 4 31-16d. (4 13-16d.?).

Trade in the manufacturing districts had considerably improved.

Messrs Hollingshead & Fotley's Circular says that the accounts from America of small shipments, combined with the activity prevailing in the Manchester market, and the demand from the Continent of Europe, had caused a great inquiry for Cotton in the Liverpool market, which, had it not been freely met by holders, must have caused a large advance.

SCENE IN THE NEW YORK LEGISLATURE.—Times have sadly changed within a few years in all our Legislative bodies, State and National. Within our memory, such a thing as a fight, or an ungentlemanly altercation, with the familiar use of the epithets liar, scoundrel, and the like, was unheard of and unthought of. Can it be, that in those times only *gentlemen* were deemed fit to *represent* the people, and that now so many blackguards are qualified for the same office that they keep each other in countenance, and give tone to the manners of the bodies to which they are elected?

It seems to be "Like master like man."

However this may be, the fact is, that scarcely a Legislature meets without some disgraceful row. The latest one we have noticed was in the New York House of Assembly, and the particulars are as follows. In a contested election case, a Mr. Snow, Whig, was declared entitled to his seat. This was regarded as a final action on the matter, and several Whig members left the city for a few days. The Locofocos, "ascertaining that they were in an accidental majority, offered a resolution declaring the seat of Mr. Snow vacant, and came to the House with a determination to press it through. The Whigs would not put up with this dishonorable game, and were compelled to resort to parliamentary remedies to prevent it. And the entire day until a late hour in the evening was consumed in scenes of confusion, disgraceful to the Legislature, to the State and to those by whose agency they were produced. It was a prolonged riot (says an eye witness,) and the example of the House spreading to the lobbies, disorder and violence reigned there. The police had to be called in and some arrests were made. One member with two or three outside assistants, succeeded in reaching the basement and cutting off the gas, so as to throw the House in darkness. Caught in the act, he pleaded the privilege of membership to protect him from arrest. Comparative order was restored only by the closing of the doors and call of the House, and the affair ended in a decision which excludes both contestants—and in conduct that would seem to justify the exclusion of half the other members."

But this is not the worst of it. The Albany Evening Journal says,—

"It was known before the opening of the session in the morning, that a number of Whig members were absent. Several of them had, as they supposed, taken the precaution to "pair off," and had left the city, ignorant of what is alleged as a fact, that two of the Locofoco members of the House had deemed it consistent with their own sense of honor to each "pair off" with two or three Whigs! Taking advantage of the absence of these members, the concerted movement for the expulsion of Col. Snow, who had the day previously, been legally established in his seat, was begun. Six Locofoco members, who had paired off with absent Whigs, were present and voted! Strangers will keep their hands on their pocket-books when they visit the Assembly Chamber hereafter!"

If these be the picked men of the Locofoco party in New York, what must the rank and file be?

SUICIDE.—Mr. Frederick Bohne, the principal barber at the Carolina Hotel, Wilmington, committed suicide by shooting himself with a small pocket pistol, on Friday last.

MARRIED,

In this County, on the 26th ult., by William McMillan, Esq., Mr. ARCHIBALD BROWN to Miss DOLLY McDONALD, daughter of Mr. Arch'd McDonald, dec'd.

DIED,

In Robeson county, on the 25th ult., CHARLOTTE HOWELL, wife of Shadrach Howell, Clerk of the County Court of that county, in the 59th year of her age. She had been a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 37 years, and she had discharged with uniform kindness, gentleness and fidelity all the duties which she owed to her husband, her children, her servants, and the community in which she lived. She had passed the night preceding her death at the bed-side of her sick daughter, and she was in her usual health. About 12 o'clock on the day of her death she laid down and sunk into a sleep, from which she never awoke. So gentle was her death, that those about her did not know when she breathed her last. This afflicting dispensation is deeply deplored by all who knew her, but it has fallen with unmingled bitterness upon a large family, over which she shed so sweet and gentle an influence, and which is rendered so desolate by her sudden and unexpected death.—*Com.*

In this town, at 7 o'clock P. M. of the 2d inst., Mrs. SARAH EVANS, widow of the late Josiah Evans, Su'r. Esq., of this county. She had nearly attained the 82d year of her life. For many years she was an exemplary member of the Baptist Church; in full communion with which, she was at her death. Her last sickness, though protracted, was borne with christian patience and resignation, and her death was peaceful.—*Com.*

In Moore county, on the 20th last month, GILBERT McRAE, Esq., aged about 73 years.

In Robeson county, on the 9th ultimo, Mrs. NANCY SMITH, widow of the late Sam'l Smith, in the 75th year of her age, in the assurance of hope. Also, on the 21st ult., Mr. MALCOM McMILLAN, a worthy citizen and a member of the Presbyterian church, in the 80th year of his age.

In Jackson county, Florida, on the 12th ult., JOHN G. RUSS, in the 46th year of his age. He was born in Brunswick county, N. C.

Fayetteville Prices Current.

MARCH 9, 1852.

	From	To
BACON—		
Hams,	10½	11
Sides,		
Shoulders,		
BEESWAX—	22	23
COFFEE—		
Rio,	10	11
Laguira,	11	
St. Domingo,	9	10
COTTON—		
Strictly prime,	7¾	
Prime,	7¾	
Fair,	7¾	
COTTON BAGGING—		
Gunny,	16	18
Dundee,	13	16
Burlaps,	10	13
COTTON YARNS—		
No. 5 to 10,	15	
DOMESTIC GOODS—		
Brown Sheetings,	6	6½
Osnaburgs,	9½	10
FEATHERS—	32	35
FLOUR—		
Superfine,	4 75	5
Fine,	4 50	4 75
Scratched,	4 50	
GRAIN—		
Corn,	80	90
Wheat,	85	90
Oats,	50	60
Peas,	80	85
Rye,	90	
HIDES—		
Dry,	7	9
Green,	4	
IRON—		
Swedes, common bar,	5	
Ditto, wide,	6	
English,	3	4
LARD—	10	11
LEAD—	6	7
MOLASSES—		
Cuba	24	26
New Orleans,	40	
OILS—		
Linseed,	90	
Tanners',	60	70
SALT—		
Liverpool, (sack,)	1 50	1 60
Alum, (bu.)	40	
SEED—		
Flaxseed,	1 15	1 25
Clover, per lb.	12½	15
SHOT—		
Common, per bag,	1 75	
Buck,	2	
SPIRITS—		
Peach Brandy,	50	55
Apple "	45	50
Northern "	40	43
N. C. Whiskey,	37	40
Northern "	35	40
N. E. Rum,	40	
Jamaica Rum,		2 50
French Brandy,	2	3
American Gin,	30	40
Holland Gin,	1 50	2
SUGAR—		
Loaf,	10	11
Crushed,	9½	10½
St. Croix,	9	
Porto Rico,	7	9
New Orleans,	6	8
TALLOW—	7	8
TOBACCO—		
Leaf,	3	5
Manufactured,	15	50
WHITE LEAD—		2 25
WINDOW GLASS—8 x 10,	2	2
10 x 12,		2¼
WOOL—		2¼
	18	20

REVIEW OF THE MARKET.

BACON.—We note sale by Mr. Baggarly, of Iredell, of some 20,000 lbs. in one lot, at 11 cts.

COFFEE.—We do not alter our rates as yet, but quote a rising market.

COTTON.—The market is quite animated by the America's news; we advance our quotations to correspond with sales this morning.

CORN.—We transfer Thursday's remark as correct to-day: "The stock of Corn is increasing on the market, and if sales were forced, it would have to give way."

TURPENTINE.—Yellow and Virgin 1 90. Spirits 27. No. 3 Rosin 70.

No other change worthy of note.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

Bacon, hog round, 10 to 10½, prime hams 11½ to 11 60. Corn, 2000 bushels sold at 63; fair stock on hand. 300 bbls. Georgetown D. C. Flour sold at 5 12. Northern Hay 90 to $1. Lard 10 to 10½. Nothing doing in River Lumber. A cargo of 300 hhds. Cuba Molasses sold at 19 and 20, 90 days. About 11,000 bbls. Turpentine sold on Friday and Saturday at 2 15 for soft, 1 15 for hard—a decline of 20 cents. Spirits 29. Tar 1 25. Timber has declined from $2 to $4 per M. Sales of 1 raft prime mill at 10 50, 1 prime at 9 50, 1 at 7 50, 1 at 7, 1 ordinary small at 6 50, 1 at 5 50, 1 at $5. 20 or 40 rafts unsold. Sellers refuse offers. Ash Heading 9 to $10.

At Cheraw, cotton 5½ to 7½.

At Charleston, cotton firm, prices very full, 7 to 8¼. Corn 65 to 66. Flour 5 to 5 50. Bacon 9½ to 10½. Salt $0.

At New Orleans, cotton is higher; 7½ to 8.—Corn 52 to 54. Bacon 8½ to 9¼.

At Columbia, cotton 6 to 8.

Total receipts of cotton 1,896,635 bales, against 1,688,408 last year. Increase 208,227.

☞ **A Concert of Vocal Music,** (consisting of a variety of Choruses, Anthems, Chants, Motets, Quartettes, &c., most of which have never been sung in this place,) will be held in the M. E. Church in Fayetteville, on Wednesday Evening the 10th inst., by the Choir attached to that Church. The Concert will commence about half-past 7 o'clock. Admittance 25 cents. Proceeds to be appropriated to the benefit of the Church. Tickets may be had at H. & E. J. Lilly's, Mr. Hale's Bookstore, or at the door.
March 5, 1852.

COMMERCIAL RECORD.

ARRIVALS.

March 5—Str Rowan, with Odd Fellow in tow, and goods for B Rose & Son, Ray & Pearce, W Winslow, P P Johnson, J T O Wilber, W F Leak, C Caison, R J Steele, G McNeill, D Gee, C Lutterloh, A Coats, T S Lutterloh & Co, L B Walker, J & T Widdill, W S Latta, A Hunt, R D McNeill, N King.

March 6—Str Evergreen, with goods for J S McCubbins & Co, J McRorie, L W Levy, C B Mallett, H A London & Co, H Elliot, I Ewing, J & T Waddill, A A McKethan, J H & J Martine, C C Barbee, Hall & Sackett, Cook & Taylor, S T Hawley & Son, D & W McLaurin, R D McNeill, W J McDiarmid, H Branson & Son, S W Tillinghast & Co, P P Johnson, W R Love, J D Powell, Council & Cain, J H Hawley, H L Myrover & Co, E Fuller, B L Durham & Co, D & J McRae, Rose & Crenshaw, Lash & Moore, Turney & Tomlin, J Miller, C W Williams & Co, T C Pfhol, N King, Rankin, McLean & Hannah, Law & McCowley, Jones & Barbee.

March 7—Str Henrietta, with goods for H & E J Lilly, B Rose & Son, H Branson & Son, G McNeill, Lawrence & Troy, S W Tillinghast & Co, D & W McLaurin, J H & J Martine, J D Powell, A A McKethan, S T Hawley & Son, H L Myrover & Co, P P Johnson, W R Love, L W Levy, J S McCubbins, H A London & Co, T C Pfohl, Cook & Johnson, Jones & Barbee, W R Love, E Fuller, C Barbee, Miller & Co, Lash & Bro, F A Campbell, F Fries, W S Latta, G & D B Hubbard, A Hunt, D Clewell, J Kyle, P F Pescud, C Benbow, J M Beasley, S Toon, S J Hinsdale, A W Steel, A Johnson & Co, Starr & Williams, W H & R S Turner, J T O Wilber.

PORT OF WILMINGTON.

ARRIVALS.

March 4—Schrs. Elouise from New York. Fidelia from Philadelphia. 5—Brigs Jno Dawson from Savannah, L. P. Snow from Georgetown, D. C., Osceola from St. Thomas, Br. Brig Eliza Jenkins from Newport, Eng. 6—Br. Brig Richard Cobden from St. Thomas.

Office of N. C. Mut. In. Co.,
RALEIGH, Feb. 18, 1852.

THE Board of Directors of the North Carolina Mutual Insurance Company, at their Annual Meeting, held in this City on the 13th day of January 1852, levied an assessment of ¾ per cent. on all Premium Notes of the Company outstanding on the 15th day of Dec. 1851.

This, with one-half per cent. levied September 2d, 1849, one per cent. levied November 9th, 1850, and one per cent. levied September 18th, 1851, will make six per cent. on all notes subject to assessment on the 2d September 1849 and remaining unexpired and uncancelled on the 15th of December 1851.

These assessments, under the provisions of the Act of Incorporation, will be payable on or before the 20th of April 1852. All persons having Premium Notes in the Office will please remit the assessments thereon with as little delay as practicable. By order of the Board,

JNO. C. PARTRIDGE, Sec'y.

Raleigh, Feb. 18, 1852. 18 16 13 10 15 6 6½ 10 35 5 4 75 4 50 4 50 80 85 50 80 90 9 7 4 5 6 3 10 6 24 40 90 60 1 50 40 1 15 1 25 12½ 15 1 75 2 50 3 40 30 1 50 10 9½ 9 7 6 8 7 3 15 2 25 2½ 2¼ 20

I have received a List of the Assessments for this county. ☞CALL AND SETTLE.☜

GEO. McNEILL.
Fayetteville, March 8, 1852. 71-4w

FARMERS!

WE are now receiving a variety of Ploughs and Plough fixtures, including Subsoils, &c. Also, Straw Cutters and Corn Shellers, to which we invite the attention of the agriculturist.

J. & T. WADDILL.
March 8, 1852. 71tf

Fresh supply Peruvian Guano,

JUST received and for sale in quantities to suit, by

B. ROSE & SON.
March 8, 1852. 71-3t

FISH!

MACKEREL, Nos. 1, 2 and 3, in quarter, half and whole barrels. For sale by

B. ROSE & SON.
March 8, 1852. 71-3t

Paints, Oils and Dye Stuffs, of almost every kind, for sale in quantities to suit. Apply to

B. ROSE & SON.
March 8, 1852. 71-3t

FISH! FISH!

10 BBLS. MULLETS.
10 do. No. 3 Mackerel.
5 do. No. 2 "
10 half bbls. No. 3 ditto.
2 bbls. Trout.
25 bbls. Yellow Irish Potatoes.

Received this day by

H. BRANSON & SON.
March 8, 1852. 71tf

Wanted—A good Carder.

NONE need apply unless of a good moral character and strictly temperate. Apply to

J. D. WILLIAMS.
March 5, 1852. 71*3t

THE subscriber takes this method of informing those interested in machinery and improvements that he has taken down his old Foundry and built a new one. He has now a moulding floor of 1600 square feet, and is putting up a new Furnace and Crane, together with other machinery, which will enable him to make Castings of the largest description. He has connected in business with him, J. BOLINGER of Pennsylvania, a thorough millwright, which enables us to give complete drawings and specifications, together with the actual cost of all machinery usually made in an establishment of this kind.

H. G. HALL.
March 6, 1852. 71*tf

☞ The business of the concern will be conducted under the name and style of HALL & BOLINGER.

HALL & BOLINGER offer for cash the following Castings:

1 set 35 inch Hotchkiss Wheels, $30.
1 Saw Mill Crank and Gudgeon, $20.
1 best cast steel Saws, $5 50.
Rag Irons, 4, 4½, 5, 5½ feet, at 5c. per lb.

The above Castings are warranted to perform well, and are made of the best iron.

Also, Racks and Rollers for Saw Mills, Self-Setters for ditto. Cast iron Rag Wheels for do. Bolts of every description, Grates for burning saw dust in Steam Mills, Mill Spindles, Mill Gearing, Corn Shellers, Fire Backs, Iron ornamental Fences of different patterns, Pulleys, Hangers, and Shafting Castings for Cotton Factories.

March 6, 1852. 71*tf

EXPECTING DAILY,

5 TONS of extra size IRON, from ¾ inch to 3 inch diameter, and [].

Extra size Steel, from ½ inch [] to 2½, and 2 x 3 inch and ½ x 1½.

We are prepared to build ornamental fireproof Doors and Shutters for Stores. Also, Door and Window Sills, Cast iron Pipes for sewers and water works.

HALL & BOLINGER.
March 6, 1852. 71*tf

Plants, Shrubs, Trees, &c.

THIS is the best month for setting out Evergreens, Roses, and hardy plants. Also, the best time to repot.

Plants now in bloom.—Chinese Araleas, (hardy), Japonicas (hardy), Acaceas, Hyacinths, Spireas, (hardy). Persons having engaged the latter, can get them now.

I have a number of beautiful plants, tender at the North that have stood the past winter.

Also, just received a lot of choice flower seed.

C. LUTTERLOH, Rowan st.

P. S. Persons having pots to be returned will please send them in.

Fruit trees may still be removed with perfect safety.

March 6. 71-tf

ALL those indebted to the subscriber will find their accounts made out by calling at the Foundry which will please be settled as early as convenient.

H. G HALL.
March 6 71

The dog population of the United States is estimated at about two millions, and the expense of keeping them at upwards of $10,000,000 per annum.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber having, at March Term, 1852, of Cumberland County Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, qualified as Executor to the last Will and Testament of David Carver, Sr., dec'd, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment; and all those having claims against the said deceased, are notified to present them, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, otherwise this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

W. H. CARVER, Ex'r.
March 3, 1852. 71-3t

FURTHER NOTICE.

ON Tuesday the 9th day of March, 1852, at the Store of the late David Carver, Sen'r, on Person street, I will expose to public sale, all the stock of DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, &c. on hand.

Terms made known at sale.
Sale to commence at 11 o'clock A. M.

W. H. CARVER, Ex'r.
March 3, 1852. 1t

Fire-proof Slate Roofs.

ALL parties about to erect Fire-proof Buildings will do well to call on the subscriber. I am prepared to contract for Slate and Metal Roofing Gutters, Leaders, Leader heads, and every thing belonging to the Roofing business. Also, to give instructions in Roofing for Slate, to make it effectually proof against fire and water.

FRANCIS SHENTON.
Fayetteville, March 1, 1852. 71-3m

The Greatest Bargain ever offered to the Public!

DR. LEWIS L. HOLMES wishing to move West, offers for sale his PLANTATION where he now resides. It contains 243 acres, a great part of which is choice bottom and meadow land. There are on the premises a good two-story dwelling, kitchen, and all other necessary out-buildings, an excellent barn with stables attached, and a large double crib, lately finished; all of which are in good repair.—The land is well suited to corn, oats, wheat and cotton, and the meadows yield abundant crops of the choicest hay. The plantation is well watered—in proof of which, it is true that when the springs in the neighborhood had failed the past Summer, mine never ceased flowing.

Those wishing to have a location up the country, for health or a Summer residence, would do well to buy this, as it is in a fine healthy and elevated part of the State. The land is situated in Chatham county, N. C., distant 16 miles from Pittsborough and about 60 miles from Fayetteville, (the public road to the latter place passing directly by the premises,) and is only 14 miles from the head of navigation on Deep River, and will be but a mile or two from the plank road leading to Greensborough.

Possession given to the purchaser immediately, or at any time during the year.

For terms, &c. apply to me by letter or in person, or to Mr. Irving Goldston, at Hall & Sackett's, in Fayetteville.

Emerson's Tan Yard P. O., March 1852. 71*3m

MACHINE SHOP & FOUNDRY.

Stafford, Clark & Dixon,

Manufacturers of all sizes of Horse Powers and Threshing Machines, (both Portable and Stationary,) Wood Carding Machines, Straw Cutters of various patterns, Wheat Fans, Mill and Factory Gear, Saw and Grist Mill Irons, Bark Mills, Edge Tools, &c. &c. &c.

THEY respectfully inform their customers and the public, that they continue to carry on their business at their Machine Shop, near SNOW CAMP, Alamance county, North Carolina, where they are prepared to execute all work in their line with neatness, punctuality and despatch. With an increased variety of tools and labor-saving machinery added to our establishment the past winter,—a well selected assortment of materials purchased at the lowest cash prices,—workmen of known skill and ability, together with long experience in the business,—fully justify us in saying, as to quality and price, our work has not, will not, and shall not, suffer in comparison with any other Shop in the South.

Grateful to the public for past favors, they solicit a continuance of their patronage.

N. B. Please send your orders soon, as our motto is "first come first served." Letters addressed to the subscribers, at Snow Camp, N. C., will receive prompt attention.

STAFFORD, CLARK & DIXON.
March 1852. 71-6m

TO CONTRACTORS.

Office F. & N. Plank Road Co.,
JANUARY 28, 1852.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until the 1st of March next, for the Superstructure of a Plank Road Bridge over the Cape Fear River at Fayetteville, upon the plan known as Howe's Truss. There will be two spans of 200 feet each, with arch timber throughout for each span. The bottom chords will be 62 feet above low water mark, the depth of the river at low water being from 3 to 4 feet. The bridge will be 16 feet in the clear, and the depth of the truss will be 18 feet. There will be a substantial wooden railing through the centre of the Bridge, 4 feet high, dividing it into two roadways, the whole to be roofed with shingles and covered in. The bids will be made for the mechanical work, *including* all the materials. And also for the mechanical work *excluding* timber only.

Proposals will be received at the same time and place, for the Masonry of the Abutments and Piers. The bids will state the price per cubic yard for Stone or Brick work laid in Hydraulic cement. Stone can be obtained of a good quality (and boated down) 3 miles above the bridge site, and Clay of a good quality is found convenient. Steamboats navigate the river from Wilmington to Fayetteville, by which materials and fixtures of all kinds can be brought up. The Plans and Specifications can be seen at the Office of the Company.

A. A. McKETHAN,
J. D. WILLIAMS,
D. G. MACRAE,
Committee.
71-3w]

STATE OF N. CAROLINA,

CHATHAM COUNTY.

Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, February Term, 1852.

Thomas B., Enoch, Joseph and Nathaniel Clark, Thomas Womble and wife Fanny, James C. Burke and wife Winny, Daniel Bryan and wife Susannah, William, Fanny, and Susannah Stone, children of James Stone, (by their next friend Jonathan Clark,) James Clark and Jonathan Clark, in their own right, and as Executors of William Clark, deceased,

AGAINST

Jorial Farrar and wife Mary, Howell Mitchell and wife Phœbe, William Clark and Elijah Clark.

Petition for Partition of Slaves.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court, that the Defendants, Jorial Farrar and wife Mary, Howell Mitchell and wife Phœbe, William Clark and Elijah Clark, are non-residents of this State: It is therefore Ordered, that publication be made in the Fayetteville Observer for six successive weeks, for said non-residents to appear at the next Term of our Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county of Chatham, at the Court House in the town of Pittsborough, on the second Monday of May next, and plead, answer or demur to said Petition, or the same will be taken pro confesso, and heard ex parte as to them.

Witness, William P. Taylor, Clerk of our said Court, at Office, the second Monday of February, A. D. 1852.

W. P. TAYLOR, C. C. C.

[Pr. adv. $5 00.] 71*6t

That POLISH! how it Shines!

10,999 Boxes sold within the last nine months!

A. J. WOODWARD returns his thanks to the public for the unprecedented encouragement he has met with in the manufacture and sale of his celebrated POLISH, and at the same time wishes it understood that he always keeps a supply on hand for wholesale or retail.

Experience has proved that this Polish is unsurpassed for quickness in putting a gloss on boots and shoes, and also in preserving the leather.

Persons wishing to oil their boots can use this Polish with equal success immediately afterwards; the leather should be rubbed as soon as the Polish is applied, before it dries.

This Polish can be found at the store under the Carolinian Printing Office.

Fayetteville, Feb. 21, 1852. 67tf

FAUST & WINEBRENER,

68½ *North Third Street*,

Philadelphia,

WOULD respectfully call the attention of merchants visiting the North to our entire

New Stock of Hardware, Cutlery, Guns, &c.,

(Our former stock having been damaged by fire and all sold at public auction in November last.)

We are now opening a full assortment of Table and Pocket Cutlery, Cotton and Wool Cards, Axes, Adzes and other makes of Shovels and Spades, Grain and Grass Scythes, Hoes, Anvils, Vices, Steel, &c.

Together with a well selected and complete assortment of Foreign and Domestic Hardware, of most approved styles, direct from the manufacturers.

The advantages of a new stock bought in at the present reduced prices of goods, must be perceptible to every merchant. An examination of the same would undoubtedly result to your advantage.

N. B. Particular and personal attention paid to orders by mail or otherwise.

Feb'y 16, 1852. 67-1m

HARMAN'S HOTEL,

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

THE Subscriber, having taken the large Hotel, formerly known as the Planter's Hotel, situated at the foot of Hay Mount, Hay Street, Fayetteville, N. C., respectfully informs his friends and the public that he is now engaged in refitting the building, which is supplied with entire new Furniture, and is prepared to accommodate the traveling public.—Having had some experience in the business in the town of Pittsborough, N. C., he flatters himself that he will be able to give satisfaction to those who may favor him with their company. His rooms are large and airy.

His table is ample and convenient Stables, and a good and careful Ostler.

JOHN HARMAN.

Feb'y 17, 1852. 68tf

Plants and Trees.

2000 FRUIT TREES, extra fine, Peaches and Apples, at $20 per hundred.

Peaches and Apples, at $1 50 per dozen.
Cherries, Nectarines, Apricots, Plums, Almonds, Chestnuts, and Quinces, at 25cts. each.
Pears and English Walnuts, 50 to $1 each.
Fig and Grape Vines, 25 to 50 cts. each.
Strawberries, $1 to $2 per hundred.
Osage Orange for hedges, $10 per thousand.
Ice pitchers, $2 to $4 per dozen.
Greenhouse, Green-house and Hardy Plants, Shrubs, Roses, Ornamental and Evergreen Trees. In short, almost every thing in my line. For sale on Rowan street.

C. LUTTERLOH.

Feb'y 18, 1852. 68tf

GARDEN SEED.

Fresh and Genuine.

SAMUEL J. HINSDALE

HAS just received and offers for sale, a very large supply of Fresh and Genuine

GARDEN SEED,

(In Cans of 2 pounds each, containing which are the following, viz:

BEANS—Early China.
Early Valentine.
Early Six Weeks.
Early Mohawk.
Large Lima.
BEETS—Early Blood Turnip.
" Bassino.
Long Blood.
White French Sugar.
Yellow.
CABBAGE—Early York.
Flat Battersea.
Large Ox Heart.
" Flat Dutch.
Early Sugar Loaf.
Large Drumhead.
Brunsheud Savoy.
CAULIFLOWER—Early London
CARROT—Early Horn.
Long Orange.
CELERY—White Solid.
CUCUMBER—Early Russia.
Early Cluster.
Long Green.
EGG PLANT.
CORN—Sweet's Early White.
Sweet or Sugar.
LETTUCE—Large Green Head.
Cos.
Large Cabbage Head.
MELON—Pine Apple.
Nutmeg.
Mountain Sweet Water.
NASTURTIUM.
ONION—Large Red.
White Portugal.
PARSLEY—Curled.
PARSNIP—Long Smooth.
PEAS—Early Charlton.
Large Marrowfat
PEPPER—Long Cayenne
Bull Nose.
Sweet Spanish.
PUMPKIN—Connecticut.
RADISH—Early Long Scarlet.
Early Scarlet Turnip.
Rose colored Winter.
Long Scarlet.
SALSIFY.
SQUASH—Bush.
SCALLOP OR VEGETABLE OYSTER.
SQUASH—Early Bush.
TOMATO—Large Red.
Large Smooth.
Pear Shaped.
Large Yellow.
TURNIP—Flat Dutch.
Red Top Flat.
Large Norfolk.
White Globe.
Long Tankard.
Ruta Baga.

SAGE.
THYME.

S. J. HINSDALE

Fayetteville, Dec. 24, 1851. 51tf

DAILY EXPECTED,

A GENERAL assortment of COOPERS' TOOLS, of the best manufacturers' make, by

E. C. HALL, of Rowe.

Oct. 18, 1851. 32tf

A Card.

HAVING sustained a severe loss by the fire on the night of the 2d January, I am compelled to call on all those who are indebted to me to make immediate payment. If they cannot settle in full, pay what they can, either in cash or notes negotiable at Fort.

A. A. McKETHAN.

Jan'y 5, 1852. 65tf

NEW FIRM & NEW GOODS.

THE subscribers are now receiving from N. York, a large and general assortment of

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,

GROCERIES, HARDWARE,

Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes.

Among which are:

Coffee, Sugar, Cotton Bagging, Bale Rope, Nails, Window Glass, Swedes and English Iron, Sack and Alum Salt, Imperial and Black Teas, Pepper, Alspice, Ginger, Powder, Shot, Bar Lead, Bar and Fancy Soap.

Together with a great variety of other articles, to which they invite the attention of the public, and which they are determined to sell as low for Cash, or on time to those who pay promptly, as any house in the Southern country.

Produce of all kinds, at the highest market prices, taken in exchange for Goods.

McLEAN & JONES.

Shannonville, N. C., Dec. 8, 1851. 47tf

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE subscriber has leased for a term of years, of R. W. Brown, Esq., his fire-proof Store, with his Wharves, and is now in a condition to take especial care of Spirits Turpentine and other Naval Stores committed to his care. The Warehouse is well known to be the best and safest place in town for the storage of Bacon, Lard, Corn, Furs, &c. The lower wharves have on them four large new sheds, where Spirits can be safely kept from the rain and sun. He is prepared to receive and ship, or sell, all kinds of produce sent to his care. He will also make advances when required.

He begs to refer to the following gentlemen: R. W. Brown, John Dawson, O. G. Parsley and Thos. H. Wright, Esqs.

MILES COSTIN,

Brown's wharf, Wilmington, N. C.

Sept. 12, 1851. 21-Y

FAYETTEVILLE BRANCH

CLOTHING

ESTABLISHMENT.

J. M. WHITE & UNDERHILL,

Drapers, Tailors,

AND

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

CLOTHIERS,

110 *William street, New York,*

NEAR DOOR TO THE BANK OF CAPE FEAR,

Fayetteville, N. C.

THE Subscribers would beg leave to inform the inhabitants of Fayetteville and vicinity, that they have opened the above Establishment, and intend carrying on the business in all its branches.

They have just received a large stock of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

From New York, all of their own manufacture.

☞ COUNTRY MERCHANTS and others in want of Clothing to sell again, will do well to call and examine our Stock. Orders filled at NEW YORK PRICES.

Measures and orders will be taken for fine Clothing, and executed in the most fashionable style and with despatch.

J. M. WHITE & UNDERHILL.

A. C. HART, *Agent.*

Nov. 17, 1851. 30tf

PLANTATION FOR SALE.

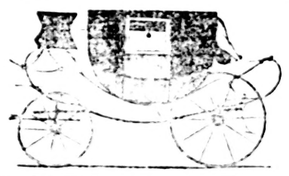
HAVING determined to abandon entirely all attempts at farming, I offer for sale the tract of land on which I lately resided, three miles above Lumberton. It contains 640 acres, about 200 of which are cleared. This offer presents the advantage of immediate possession to persons wishing to buy land.

1. A healthy locality and excellent water.
2. Good land.
3. Great facilities for tanking Timber and Turpentine, (which have already cut.
4. Comfortable dwelling and out houses.
5. Young Apple orchard, Peach & Grape Vines.
6. Rent made to suit and easy terms.

R. E. TROY.

Lumberton, Robeson Co., N. C., 50-tf

Jan. 24, 1852.



Only Burnt out in Part.

A. A. McKETHAN

STILL continues to carry on the CARRIAGE BUSINESS in all its branches, at the rooms of late Col. Cook, opposite Liberty Point. He returns thanks for the liberal patronage he has hereto received, and hopes by strict attention to business and a desire to give entire satisfaction, to merit a continuance of the same.

Having kept the greater portion of his Timbers at a distance from the manufactory, he has on hand a large and well selected lot of thoroughly seasoned Timber, of every description used in his business, which enables him to retain all his principal workmen. He is therefore now prepared to do any work in his line in the very best style, and on the most favorable terms—as low as any work of the same quality in N. C.

He has on hand, completely finished,
8 Barouches, for 1 or 2 horses;
6 Rockaways, and 15 Buggies.
Also, nearly finished,
10 Carriages for 2 horses;
20 Barouches for 1 and 2 horses;
12 Rockaways, and 30 Buggies.

All of which are of the most approved plan and finish, and will compare with any work in the U. States for neatness and durability.

Having been engaged in the above business for the past 20 years, his work is well known, and he refers to old customers for proof of its durability.

☞ ALL work warranted for 12 months, and repaired free of charge should it fail by bad workmanship or material, within that time.

☞ REPAIRING executed at short notice, and on reasonable terms.

Jan'y 26, 1852. 59

MOLASSES AND FISH.

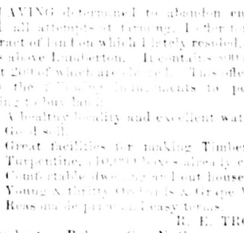
20 HHDS. new crop *MOLASSES*, a superior article.

25 bbls. Fish. Just received.

P. P. JOHNSON.

Jan'y 12, 1852. 55tf

Marble Factory.



By GEO. LAUDER.

TWO DOORS ABOVE HAIGH & SON'S STORE,

Fayetteville, N. C.

Jan'y 29, 1852 55-1Y

WANTED,

3000 ft. Ashe Lumber for Wagons, 1¼ to 3 inches thick.
3000 ft. Seasoned Oak Lumber, 1¼ to 3 inches.
1000 ft. White Oak and Hickory, for Axletrees.
1000 ft. White Oak for Tongues, Bolsters and Shafts.
100 Post Oak Hubs, for Carts and Wagons.
2000 Spokes.

For which the highest cash price will be paid. Apply soon to E. FULLER.

May 10, 1851. 72-tf

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS & SHOES

Fall and Winter Stock.

1851.

THE Subscriber offers for sale one of the largest and best assortments of GOODS in his line ever offered in this place. He is very thankful for the very liberal patronage that he has had, and solicits a continuance of the same. His stock has been selected with care, and consists of nearly every variety and style, from the best manufacturers.

He has on hand and offers low for *Cash*, at retail or by the case, latest styles Gentlemen's Beaver, Nutria, Moleskin, Silk, Brush and Angola HATS. Also, Jenny Lind, Kossuth, Artist, Rough and Ready, and stiffened Fur and Wool Hats, for Men, Youth and Boys—in abundance by the dozen or case.

—ALSO—

A very large supply of Cloth, Plush, Velvet and Fur CAPS, of all qualities, styles and prices,—by the single Cap or by the dozen.

—ALSO—

Boots and Shoes,

of the following varieties, viz: Fine Water-proof, fine Calf, fine Kip and heavy Winter BOOTS. Also, Boys' and Youths' Calf and Kip Boots. Gentlemen's Dress Shoes, of various qualities. Together with an assortment of *Ladies'*, Misses' and Children's BOOTS and SHOES, viz: Jenny Lind, Excelsiors, Gaiters, ditto Half, Buskins, Slippers and Morocco Boots. Also, Gentlemen's and Ladies' Rubbers. With a good supply of Youths', Boys', Childrens' and Servants' heavy Shoes.

All of which he offers low for *Cash*, or on time to punctual customers. Please call and satisfy yourselves before purchasing elsewhere.

JOHN C. THOMSON.

Market Square.

Sept. 26, 1851. 29tf

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to the subscriber, either by note or account, are requested to call and settle the same as early as possible. He may be found one door West of Liberty Point, with the most of his ready made work saved from the late fire. Persons in want of any articles in my line of business, would do well to call, as I will sell cheap for cash, or on time for approved note.

JAMES SUNDY.

Jan'y 10, 1852. 55tf

FURTHER NOTICE.

I take this method of returning my sincere thanks to those gentlemen who saved the goods in my Shop on the morning of the 2d inst., for their kindness and exertions, I would have lost all.

JAMES SUNDY.

FALL, 1851.

JAMES KYLE

IS now receiving a very large and general assortment of

DRY GOODS.

Purchased by the Package for CASH. Those wishing to purchase Goods at reduced prices, will find great and extraordinary Bargains may be had.

BOLTING CLOTHS, Assorted Braid, from No. 1 to 10, numbers always on hand.

90 Packages BOOTS AND SHOES, cheaper than ever, now in store and for sale.

Oct. 4, 1851. 38tf

Candles! Candles!! Candles!!!

BEST FAYETTEVILLE MOULD CANDLES for sale at the Proprietor's Store, Hay street one door West of Mr. E. Grover's Jewelry Store.

Persons ordering to have their Tallow made into Candles will please send it in.

A. M. CAMPBELL.

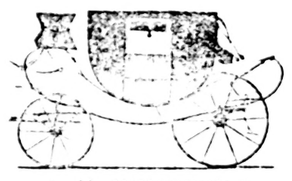
July 30, 1852 [illegible]-6m

$100 REWARD.

RANAWAY from the subscriber, a negro man, age about 25 years, of a very light black complexion, named WARREN DEAKE, a Carpenter by trade. It is supposed he is making his way to Fayetteville, N. C., where said boy was raised. Possibly he may endeavor to get to Ohio. The above reward will be paid for my said runaway boy, if delivered to me, or secured in any jail so that I get him.

N. C. BROWNRIGG.

Anson Co., N. C., Jan. 24, 1852. 51tf



A. H. WHITFIELD,

Coach and Light Carriage Manufacturer,

WOULD respectfully inform the public that the still continues to carry on the above business in all its branches. He returns thanks for the liberal patronage he has received, and hopes by a strict attention to business, and a desire to please all, still give general satisfaction, to merit a continuance of the same.

He warrants all his work to be made of the best material and by experienced workmen; and should any of it fail in twelve months (with fair usage, either in workmanship or material, he will repair it without charge.

Persons wishing to buy, would do well to call and examine his work before purchasing, as it cannot be surpassed for style, elegance, and durability. He is determined to sell low for cash or on short time.

Orders thankfully received and promptly attended to.

☞ REPAIRING neatly executed at short notice and lowest possible prices.

Fayetteville, Feb. 2, 1852. 61tf

THE CELEBRATED BUCK PATENT

COOKING STOVE,

IS for sale by the Subscriber in Raleigh and Fayetteville; in Raleigh at his Shop on Fayetteville Street, and in Fayetteville at Mr. A. M. Campbell's.

The Subscriber hereby forewarns all persons from purchasing any of these Stoves from any person either in or out of North Carolina, except from himself or his duly authorized Agents. He has purchased the exclusive right to vend this Stove within the State, and will prosecute any person infringing his right, either by purchasing, selling, or using, any except those obtained from himself.

JOSEPH WOLTERING.

Raleigh, April 19, 1851. 68tf

I HAVE just received from New York, my FALL AND WINTER

Stock of Goods,

Consisting of a general assortment of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Cutlery, &c.

☞ I will barter for TURPENTINE, or any kind of Produce.

N. KING,

10 miles North of Fayetteville.

Oct. 28, 1850. 43tf

TURPENTINE LAND

FOR SALE.

FOR sale, 393 acres of LAND on James Creek, and 640 acres on Cypress Creek, in Cumberland, convenient to the Western Plank Road, heavily timbered, and admirably adapted to the making of Turpentine.

Apply at this Office.

Nov. 28, 1851. 44tf

TOBACCO.

25 BOXES low priced Tobacco, for sale by COOK & TAYLOR.

Feb'y 23, 1852. 67-1w

WE are now receiving a large and well selected Stock of

DRY GOODS,

Comprising every article usually kept in that line, together with

150 Cases Boots and Shoes.

Hats and Caps.

—ALSO—

A well selected Stock of

HARDWARE.

To all of which we invite the attention of Merchants of the interior, who will find it to their interest to examine our Stock before making their purchases. We will not be undersold by any one doing business in this place.

HALL & SACKETT.

August 25, 1851. 16tf

TO COTTON PLANTERS.

200 PIECES COTTON BAGGING,
75 coils Rope,
200 lbs. Twine.

Just received and for sale cheap, by

PETER P. JOHNSON.

August 16, 1851. 14tf

Greensborough (N. C.) Mutual Insurance Company.

PURSUANT to an Act of Incorporation, a Company has been formed under the name and style of "THE GREENSBOROUGH MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY," and fully organized by the appointment of the following officers, viz:

JAMES SLOAN, President.
S. G. COFFIN, Vice President.
PETER ADAMS, Secretary and Treasurer.
C. P. MENDENHALL, Attorney.
JOHN A. MEBANE, }
W. J. McCONNEL, } Executive Com.
WM. S. RANKIN, }

DIRECTORS.

James Sloan.	John A. Mebane.
W. J. McConnel.	Andrew Weatherly.
William S. Rankin.	C. P. Mendenhall.
Jed. H. Lindsay.	Lyndon Swaim.
Shubal G. Coffin.	Jesse Shelly.
William H. Reece.	Jonathan W. Field.
Tyre Glenn.	

This Company has now been in successful operation for several months, and will take Risks upon Dwelling Houses, Stores, and other Buildings, Merchandize, Furniture, Produce &c. The object of this organization is to afford a system of Insurance which shall operate for the mutual benefit of all its members.

The peculiar advantages arising from this mode of Insurance are, that the assured pay no more than the actual losses and expenses of the Company, and experience has proved the safety of Mutual Insurance Companies as well as the great saving to its members, and no stronger argument can be produced in their favor, than the good name which they receive from the entire community where such Companies are in successful operation.

Any information as to carrying the principles of the Company will be cheerfully furnished by the Secretary, or any of its Agents.

PETER ADAMS, Sec'y.

☞ The Subscriber having been appointed Agent, will receive applications and make surveys to effect Insurance in said Company.

JOHN M. ROSE.

Fayetteville, Dec 26, 1851. 51-3m

Livery Stable Business.

THE subscriber intends carrying on the above business as usual. Having added considerable Stock, he will be able to accommodate the public. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a continuance.

J. W. POWERS.

July 29, 1852. 58tf

The Subscriber still continues to carry on the CABINET BUSINESS in Fayetteville, and in addition to his Establishment on Row street, near Eccles's Bridge, has opened a large WARE ROOM on Hay street, nearly opposite the Fayetteville Hotel and one door East of Messrs. Haigh & Son's, where a general assortment of

FURNITURE,

Made by competent and faithful workmen, may be had at prices corresponding with the times. Also, an assortment of Northern made FURNITURE, selected by himself which will be sold at a very moderate advance.

DUNCAN McNEILL.

Nov. 10, 1851 38tf

HE keeps on hand an assortment of Fisk's celebrated METALLIC BURIAL CASES, which have been highly recommended by Willie P. Mangum, Henry Clay, Lewis Cass, Wm. R. King, and many other illustrious characters, who have examined and witnessed their utility.

NOTICE.

A TEACHER wanted, to take charge of the Academy at Whiteville, Columbus county, N. C. A liberal price will be given. Application will be made to F. George, Esq. or myself, at this office.

J. A. MAULTSBY.

Whiteville, Dec. 10, 1851. 48-tf

MERCHANTS' LINE.

THIS LINE OF BOATS is still in successful operation on the Cape Fear River, and continue to offer many facilities to the shipping public.

Persons patronising this Line, may rest assured that their Goods will be brought up with dispatch, and at the very lowest rates of freight.

A. W. STEEL, President.
T. S. LUTTERLOH,
Agent at Fayetteville.

Feb. 15, 1851. 59 tf

CALL AND SETTLE.

ALL those indebted to us by Note or Account, will please call and settle. We are in want of money. Interest will be charged on all Accounts for 1851 after this date.

H. BRANSON & SON.

Jan'y 1, 1852. 54tf

10,000 SPORTSMEN

WANTED.

The Subscriber has now one of the most extensive and best assorted stocks Double and Single SHOT GUNS, PISTOLS of the most superior quality.—Colt's Repeating and Allen's Revolving, of every quality,—Powder Flasks, Shot and Game Bags, Percussion Caps of English and French make. Also, the most complete assortment of Gun fixtures that has ever been offered in this section of country. Also, Shot Guns, Rifles and Pistols made to order or repaired.

Rifles made to order, and warranted to shoot from one to five hundred yards.

Air Guns made to order at short notice.

To all of which the attention of Sportsmen and others is respectfully invited.

M. A. BAKER,

Sign of the Gun,

Hay street, nearly opposite the Marble Yard.

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 6, 1851. 28tf

CHECKS,

ON ALL THE BANKS IN FAYETTEVILLE. Just Printed and for Sale at this Office.

N. KING and A. McMILLAN have enterep into copartnership in the Distillery of Turpentine, and have erected a Still on the West side of the Fayetteville and Western Plank Road, 8 miles from Fayetteville.

N. KING,
A. McMILLAN.

May 9.—71tf

Wanted.

WE wish to buy 20,000 barrels Turpentine.

KING & McMILLAN.

LINSEED OIL.

5 BBLS. North Carolina Linseed Oil. For sale by

COOK & TAYLOR.

Feb'y 9, 1852. 63-4w

NOTICE.

THE undersigned having formed a Copartnership under the style of JOHN BANKS & BROTHER, for carrying on a COMMISSION and FORWARDING BUSINESS, all *goods consigned* to them, or ordered, or produce sent for sale, will be promptly attended to.

JOHN BANKS,
DAVID BANKS.

Wilmington, Feb. 2, 1852. 63tf

N. B. STARBUCK,

Troy, New York,

IRON FOUNDER AND MACHINIST,

Manufacturer of Steam Mills and Boilers, Mill Gearing of all kinds, Ploughs, &c.

THE undersigned, as the Agent of the above Establishment, will order any articles which may be wanted, on application to him.

The Steam Mills manufactured by Mr. Starbuck have been tested, and are highly approved on the Plank Roads about Fayetteville.

EDWD. LEE WINSLOW.

Fayetteville, Sept. 4, 1851. 20tf

30,000 LBS. RAGS WANTED, by

H. BRANSON & SON.

July 1. 78tf

Cabinet Furniture, Chairs, &c.

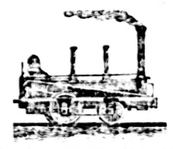
THE subscriber is receiving the largest assortment in his line ever before purchased at the North, which, together with his own manufacture, makes his Stock very complete, consisting of

Chairs, Tables, Sofas, Bedsteads, Wash Stands, Bureaus, Looking Glasses,
Side Boards, Secretaries, &c.

All of which will be sold on the lowest terms for Cash, or on short time to punctual customers.

JOHN W. BAKER.

Oct. 29, 1851. 35tf



REDUCED FARE.

THROUGH Tickets between Wilmington, N. C. and Baltimore. Fare $15. Via Weldon, Petersburg, Richmond, and Washington City, or via Weldon, Portsmouth and Norfolk.

For Tickets apply at the Office of the Wilmington and Raleigh Rail Road Company, at Wilmington, or at the Office of the Baltimore Steam Packet Company, and of the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road Company, Pratt Street, Baltimore.

Jan. 1, 1852. 53tf

☞ The undersigned, Founder and Machinist, has consented to act as Agent for the only actual PORTABLE CIRCULAR SAW MILL in the United States, made by Wm. McKinstry of Washington. These Mills are of Cast Iron, no brick being used in their erection. They can be taken down, removed 5 miles, and put in operation in 10 hours. Power of Engine 20 horse will cut 15,000 feet Plank Road Lumber per 24 hours. These Mills have taken the premium at the Maryland State Fair over all others, and are considered the best in the world. I would be pleased to receive orders, either for the Engines with or without the Mill. Letter addressed to H. G. Hall will receive prompt attention.

I will put these Mills up any where within 10 miles of Fayetteville, if desirable.

H. G. HALL.

Nov. 26, 1851. 43-tf

CHERRY PECTORAL

For the Cure of

COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, BRONCHITIS, WHOOPING-COUGH, CROUP, ASTHMA, AND CONSUMPTION.

MANY years of trial, instead of impairing the public confidence in this medicine has won for it an appreciation and notoriety far exceeding the most sanguine expectations of its friends. Nothing but its intrinsic virtues, and the immediate benefit conferred on thousands of sufferers, could originate and maintain the reputation it enjoys. While many other preparations, that promised the community have failed and been discarded, this has gained friends in every trial, conferred benefits on the afflicted they can never forget, and produced cures too numerous and too remarkable to be forgotten.

While it is found on the public mind to attend that any one medicine will infallibly cure—still there is abundant proof that the Cherry Pectoral does not only as a general thing, but almost invariably, cure the maladies for which it is employed.

As time makes these facts wider and better known, this medicine has gradually become the best reliance of the afflicted, from the log cabin of the American peasant, to the palaces of European Kings. Throughout this entire country, in every State, city, and indeed almost every hamlet it contains, Cherry Pectoral is known as the best remedy extant for diseases of the Throat and Lungs, and in many foreign countries, it is coming to be extensively used by their most intelligent Physicians. In Great Britain, France and Germany, where the medical sciences have been tried their highest perfection, Cherry Pectoral is introduced, and in constantuse in the Armies, Hospitals, Alms Houses, Public Institutions, and in dispensatories, as the surest remedy their attending Physicians can employ for the more dangerous affections of the lungs—Also in milder cases, and for children it is safe, pleasant and effectual to cure. In fact, some of the most flattering testimonials we receive have been from parents who have found it efficacious in cases pertinently incidental to childhood.

The Cherry Pectoral is manufactured by a practical Chemist, and every ounce of it under his own eye, with invariable accuracy and care. It is sealed and protected by law from counterfeits, consequently can be relied on as genuine without adulteration.

We have endeavored here to furnish the community with a medicine of such intrinsic superiority and worth as should commend itself to their confidence—a remedy at once safe, speedy and effectual, which this has by repeated and countless trials proved itself to be, and trust by great care in preparing it with chemical accuracy, of uniform strength to afford Physicians a new agent on which they can rely for the best results, and the afflicted with a remedy that will do for them all that medicine can do.

Prepared and sold by JAMES C. AYER, Practical and Analytical Chemist, Lowell, Mass.

Sold in Fayetteville by S. J. HINSDALE; in Clinton, by WARREN JOHNSON & CO.; and by Druggists and Dealers in Medicine everywhere.

January 28, 1852. 59 3m

JOSEPH R. BLOSSOM,

COMMISSION

AND

FORWARDING MERCHANT,

Wilmington, N. C.

☞ Prompt personal attention given to all Consignments, and Cash advances made on Produce to be shipped to other ports or sold in this market.

Feb. 12, 1852. 64y

SEED OATS,

AT J. & T. WADDILL'S.

Feb'y 12, 1852. 64tf

T. S. LUTTERLOH,

Forwarding Agent,

Fayetteville, N. C.

Feb. 16, 1852. 67-3m

LIBERTY POINT.

W. MacIntyre offers for sale:

25 BARRELS No. 3 MACKEREL.
14 sacks new Rice.
25 sacks new Buckwheat Flour.
10 bbls. white Clarified Sugar.
6 bbls. Crushed and Powdered Sugar.
7 bbls. St. Croix Sugar.
2 boxes Loaf Sugar.
15 kegs Lard.
9 bbls. Cedar Mess Pork.

Feb. 16, 1852. 67-1w

Liberty Point House.

ALL persons indebted to the undersigned either by note or account must settle on or before the first day of March. Those failing to do so, will certainly find their accounts in the hands of a collecting officer.

REUBEN JONES

Feb'y 16, 1852. 67tf

JUST RECEIVED.

75 MENS and Boys SADDLES, of every quality and style, some very fine. Also, Bridles, Collars, Whips and Wagon Harness.

By E. C. HALL, of Rowe.

Oct. 18, 1851. 32tf

Hotchkiss's Vertical Water Wheel.

THERE are several hundred of these Wheels in operation in different counties in North Carolina. For proof of their great advantages over the common flutter wheel, or any other wheels now in use for saw mills, we confidently refer to those who have applied them to their mills. We can recommend them particularly for their superiority in cases of a low head of water, or back water.

We still keep a supply of Wheels, suitable for different heads of water, at Wilmington, Newbern, Washington, Edenton and Fayetteville. The wheels may also be had of E. A. Brevard, Lincolnton, and Trask Wells, Petersburg, Va.

Persons wishing to obtain the right to use the wheels, will be served on application to D. McNeill & Co., Fayetteville, N. C.

D. McNEILL.
A. A. McKETHAN.
D. J. McALISTER.

Feb'y 22, 1849. 55-tf

DYSPEPSIA.

VEGETABLE

DYSPEPSIA BITTERS,

THE MOST POPULAR

FAMILY MEDICINE

OF THE AGE!

Used by Physicians of High Standing.

These BITTERS is now all used in cases of Dyspepsia, giving great tone and vigor to the digestive organs, thereby strengthening against all bowel complaints. Taken with any of the usual remedies for Dyspepsia, they will be found to give energy, strengthening and restorative properties to the system, and a cure is sure to follow.

DYSPEPSIA IN ITS WORST FORMS,

Also, Liver Complaints, Jaundice, Heartburn, Costiveness, Loss of Appetite, Nervousness, Sick Headache, Giddiness, Loss of Memory, Low Spirits, Nervous Headache, Indigestion, Pain in the Heart, Sinking and Fluttering at the Pit of the Stomach, and all those distressing symptoms which are the offspring of a disordered state of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, which lead to premature and wasting decay of the system.

FEMALES

Who suffer from a morbid or unnatural condition will find this Medicine of

INESTIMABLE VALUE.

IN ALL CASES OF GENERAL DEBILITY, this Medicine ACTS LIKE A CHARM.

THOUSANDS

Have tested its efficacy, and thousands more are using it, and recommending it to their friends. It has been introduced into families, and is now considered one of the Household Gods of those who have been permanently cured.

Call on the Agent, and get a PAMPHLET,

containing the certificates of Remarkable cures and other interesting information which can be had by the Public Free of Cost, at the Agents Store.

☞ **Large Quarts $1: Pints 50 Cents.**

Sold by all the Principal Druggists in the United States and Canadas.

Principal Office 122 FULTON ST. N. Y. 40 years.

For sale by S. J. HINSDALE.

November 8, 1851 68ly

Second Fall and Winter Stock of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Shoes, Boots, Umbrellas, Bonnets, &c., for 1851.

STARR & WILLIAMS beg leave to announce to their customers, and all those visiting this place to buy Goods either at wholesale or retail, that they are now receiving their second supply of Fall and Winter Goods, which will be sold at the lowest prices for cash, or on the usual time for good paper.

We respectfully invite the attention of Country Merchants to our new stock of Goods, as we feel assured that we can offer inducements unsurpassed by any wholesale house in this town.

S. & W.

Oct. 31, 1851. 49tf

FRUITS AND NUTS!

ORANGES, Figs, Dates, Currants Citron, Almonds, Filberts, Brazil Nuts, &c.

Just received by CHA'S BANKS.

Jan. 28. 60-tf

General Agency and Commission Business.

THE Subscribers have this day entered into a copartnership under the style of WHITAKER, WHITFIELD & CO., for the purpose of doing a general agency and commission business, and in offering their services to the public in that capacity they flatter themselves that they will be able to give satisfaction to all those who may consign any goods, wares, merchandize or country produce to them either to sell on commissions or forward. As it will be our greatest aim to please, we pledge ourselves to spare no pains in trying to give general satisfaction. They respectfully solicit the patronage of their friends and the public generally. Their store is No. 3 North Water Street, Dickinson's Fire-proof building, Wilmington, N. C.

JOHN R. WHITAKER,
JAMES W. WHITFIELD,
A. A. B. SOUTHALL.

REFERENCES:—John Dawson, Potter & Kidder, O. G. Parsley, Samuel Beery & Sons, G. R. French, and Ellis & Mitchell.

Jan. 29, 1852. 61-tf

IN STORE,

PLOUGHS and Plough Castings, Corn Shellers, Cultivators, Straw Cutters, and Spinning Wheels.

E. C. HALL, of Rowe.

Oct. 18, 1851. 32tf

W. L. SMITH,

Commission Merchant,

(*Office in Lazarus' Building,*)

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Jan'y 1852. 60Y

A PROCLAMATION

By His Excellency DANIEL [illegible]

Governor of the State of North Carolina.

WHEREAS, it appears to me that a majority of members of each House of the General Assembly did at the last session of the Legislature, ratify and confirm an Act entitled

AN ACT to amend the Constitution of North Carolina.

WHEREAS, The Section of the Act required for the consideration of the next General Assembly conflicts with the Constitution of the United States, in that it provides for the election of Senators in the Congress of the United States by the General Assembly, instead of by the People, as now provided by the Constitution of the United States, and the Laws made in pursuance thereof; and whereas, the Constitution of the United States is the supreme law of the land, and binding upon the Judges in every State, any thing in the Constitution or laws of any State to the contrary notwithstanding; and whereas, the Constitution of the United States has been solemnly adopted by the people of the several States, and is binding upon them, and cannot be changed except by the consent of three-fourths of the States